

A PUBLIC FORUM ON

The Proposed U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Plan for the lower 8 miles of the

LOWER PASSAIC RIVER

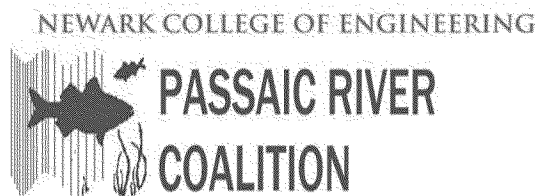
Tuesday, July 22, 2014
9:00-4:00 p.m.

Campus Atrium, New Jersey Institute of Technology
150 Bleeker St., Newark, NJ 07102

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) released the Focused Feasibility Study and Proposed Plan for the lower eight miles of the Lower Passaic River on April 11, 2014. The public comment period for the Proposed Plan closes on August 20, 2014. EPA held three public meetings to present an overview of the Proposed Plan where community members provided oral comments. As outlined in the Proposed Plan, EPA is particularly interested in technical discussions on two key aspects of the Proposed Plan, namely **the management of dredged sediments and dredging the authorized navigation channel in the reach of the river still used for commercial navigation.** Hence join us for two technical forums at New Jersey Institute of Technology.

We have allocated one hundred seats for this event and first come first served. Hence please RSVP at forumonpassic@gmail.com. Once RSVP we will send you the full program, including free parking information.

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Patrick Tallarico, Envenye Consulting, LLC

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Mustafa AlNakar, University of Mississippi
Peter deFur, Environmental Stewardship Concepts
Robert Fixter, Clean Earth Inc.
Rob Harms, George Harms Construction
Marc Helman, Port Authority of NY/NJ
Randy Hintz, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Joe Mastandrea, Town of Kearny
Jay Meegoda, New Jersey Institute of Technology
James Opaluch, University of Rhode Island
Willard Porter, Cooperating Parties Group
Richard Plambeck, Passaic River Coalition
Damon Rich, City of Newark
Paul Schroeder, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
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Question Committee:

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